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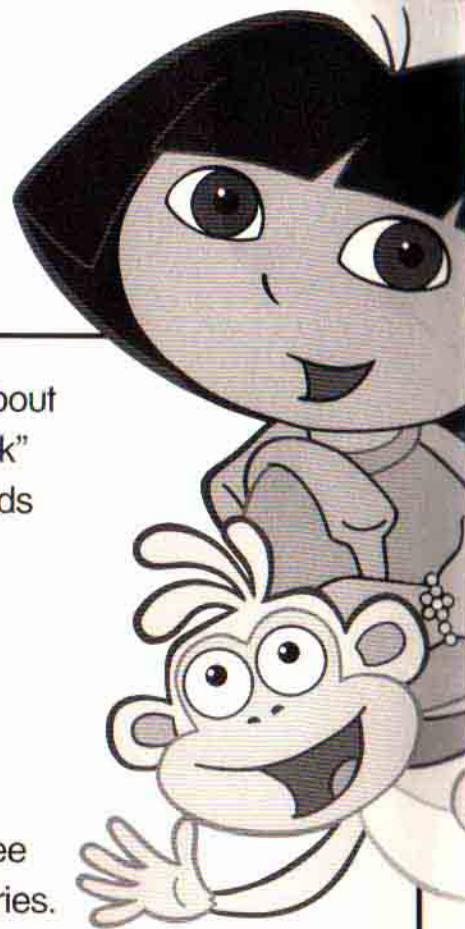
hook	book
good	look
brook	hood

These are words that you will see in this story and many other stories.

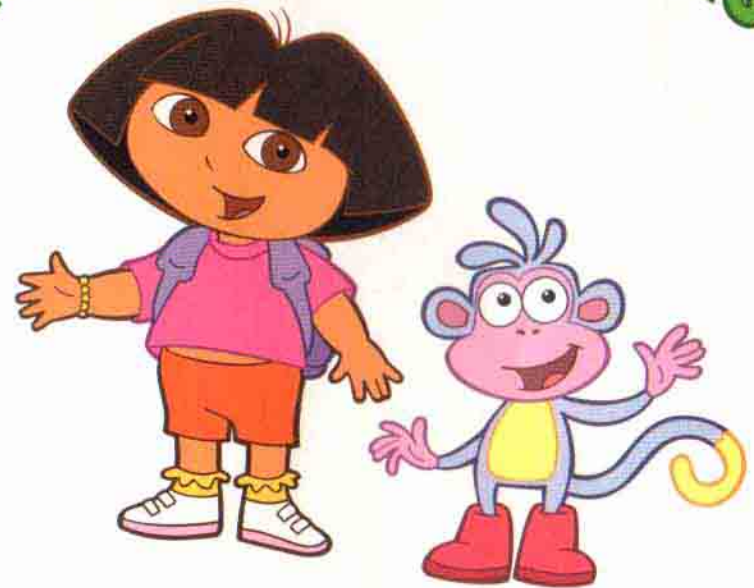
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These are some more challenging words that you will see in this story.

cookies	swipe	remember
through	crooked	riding



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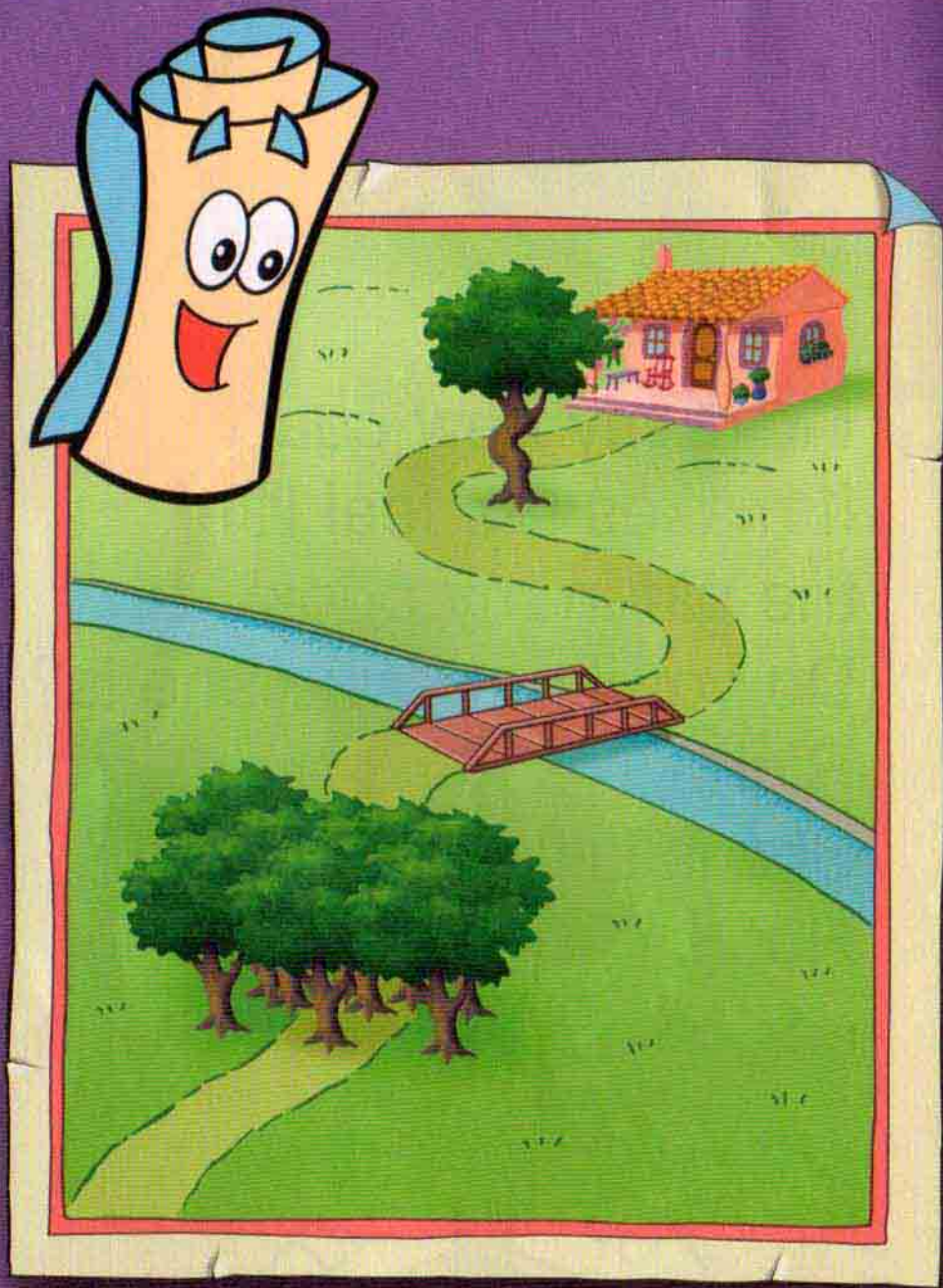
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Hi, I am Dora!
My Abuela is sick today.
Mami made her
some cookies.
We will take them to her.
Where is my new red coat?
Right!
It is on the hook.



I love my new coat.
It makes me feel like
the girl in my book.
Do you know who she is?
Right!
She is Little Red Riding
Hood.



Which way should we go?
Let's ask Map.
He says to go through
the Woods, over the Brook,
and past the Crooked Tree.
But I should look
out for Swiper.
He could swipe
the cookies!



We made it through
the Woods.
Now where do we go?
We could go up the
mountain or over the Brook.
Yes!
We should go
over the Brook.



Now what should we do?
Do you remember?
Look for the Crooked Tree.
Do you see it?
Look closely.



Oh, no! Look!
Swiper took a shortcut.
He wants to swipe
our cookies.
What should we do?
Say, "Swiper, no swiping!"



We did it!
We went through the
Woods just like Little Red
Riding Hood.
Abuela, here are the
cookies Mami made you.
They look so good!



And here is something
else — a good book!

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